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Sir:

A three (3) month extension of time, to and including September 29, 2005, is requested for response to the Patent Office Communication of March 29, 2005. This extension is being filed to create copendency between this application and three continuing applications being filed on even date herewith under separate cover.

The extension fee of \$1,020.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is enclosed herewith. If the amount is insufficient, the balance may be charged to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

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